Baltimore Lodge No. 6 K. of P. Celebrates its Birthday.

OLDEST LODGE IN WHEELING

And Instrumental in Organizing Later Arrivals - Addresses at the Anniversary Celebration by John G. Haberfield, one of Lodge's Oldest Members, and Chas. J. Schuck. Interesting Entertainment - Historical Sketch of Lodge.

Baltimore lodge No. 6, K. of P., the oldest lodge in Wheeling, last night celebrated its thirtieth anniversary at Its lodge rooms, with an enjoyable cel-ebration, which was largely attended by the members and their family friends and members of sister lodges. An interesting programme was rendered, followed by refreshments served by the Rathbone sisters. The principal feature was the address by 'Squire John G. Haberfield, a member of the lodge for twenty-eight years. The only charter member of Baltimore lodge in good standing is John M. Miller, of Springifeld, O., a brother of Colonel Jere A. Miller.

Haberfield's address consisted principally of a recital of the beautiful story of Damon and Pythias, on which the order is founded. Mr. Charles J. Shuck, of Wheeling lodge No. 114, also made a good address, dealing with the good accomplished by the Pythian brotherhood and setting forth its objects and the strength of the order, which was now to increase owing to the American flag's floating over acquired territory.

The rest of the programme consisted

of recitations by Bessle Koontz, Jessle Mehl and Margaret Mehl; a song by Miss Fetzer; plano solo by Miss Kate Welsgerber; violin solos by John Seybold and Master Leon Woodruff; club swinging by Miss Addie Miller and Master Lionel Nightingale.

A compendious history of Baltimore lodge was given out last night on the programmes, as follows:

Baltimore Lodge, Knights of Pythias, was instituted Saturday evening, June 19, 1869, at the court house of Ohlo county, on the southeast corner of Monroe and Fourth streets, since changed to Twelfth and Chapline

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This lodge was instituted by Brothers Charles H. Edgecomb, of Baltimore, Md., and J. Bufus Smith, of this state, Baltimore lodge feets justly proud of its past history and tradition, and as a Pythmi lodge may claim without adulation, osteniation or paradoxy, that this lodge has been more extensively drawn from to institute other Pythian lodges than any other lodge known to the Pythian Knights.

Baltimore lodge may be considered, and is, the parent lodge of many, if not all, the other Pythian lodges in Wheeling and yleinity. This lodge furnished the material to organize Germania Lodge No. 7, eleven in number, among whom was Brother Chris, Siebke, H. C. Ulrich, Michael Stein and others, Germania lodge, much to the respect of lis real Pythfan friends, was persuaded by its so-called friends to commit suicide.

To institute Myrtle lodge, No. 13, at Moundsville, Brothers T. P. Shallcross, Hanson Crievell, J. Dallas Ewing and others took their cards from this lodge, and formed said lodge, which found an early grave.

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Ivanhoe No. 14, was instituted by Brothers J. St. J. Clarkson and William Winder, members of Baltimore No. 6. This lodge was composed of good and boasting material, but they soon passed out of existence to an untimely grave.

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Brothers B. B. Dovener and William Chan withdrew from this lodge to organize Black Prince lodge, which is second to none in the state. Brother William Waddle was granted a withdrawnia card to institute Mystle Lodge No. 24, which is now in full bloom at Elm Grove. Ohio Valley Lodge, No. 31, was brought into existence by the labor of Brother Bennard Shanley, who was a member of Mystle Lodge. So. 2 was brought into existence by the labor of Brother Bennard Shanley, who was a member of Mystle Lodge. So. 2 was a member of Mystle Lodge, No. 2 was brought into existence by the labor of Brother Bennard Shanley, who was a member of No. 31, which is properly an offspring of Baltimore Lodge. Wheeling Lodge, No. 6 is a big, full grown lodge, and is in a good-healthy condition, financially, and sends as many grand representatives to the grand lodge as any lodge in the state.

Baltimore Lodge, No. 6 is a big, full grown lodge, and is in a good-healthy condition, financially, and service by singing.

Baltimore Lodge, being always on the alert for the good of the order, learned that the supreme lodge, in session at Cincinnal, had brought into existence a "Laddes" Rank," by auopting the beautiful ritual prepared by Brother Hill, and presented to the supreme lodge by S. P. Oyler, supreme representative from Indiana, Baltimore lodge instructed their K. of R. & S. to write for information. The sume was wrote third day of February, 1896, appointed a committee of three knights to confer with the lady knights. Mendelly and feetily of April, 1890. This Temple was organized August 12, 1890, and after paying all expenses of their organizer, and for their charter, etc., there was reported 23659 in the treasury of Hermion Temple, No. 1, Rathone Sters, located in Wheeling, It met with much opposition from certain genebers of certain politics, the condition of so much prominence, and which has proven so abundantly successfu

HARRY C. SWEENEY DEAD.

A Well Known Young Man Proves a Victim to Heart Disease.

Harry C. Sweeney, day clerk at the Howell Hotel, and well known as one of Wheeling's leading male vocalists, died yesterday morning at 3:10 o'clock, at the home of his mother, South Broadway, Island, after an illness of a

Broadway, Island, after an illness of a day. Sunday afternoon he complained of feeling ill, and was taken to his home. In the morning he had sung at the Chapline Street M. E. church anniversary, and was on the evening's programme as well. Sunday evening his condition was critical and death was expected then, but he lingered until Menday morning.

He was a son of the late Robert H. Sweeney, and was born and reared in this city. He graduated from Madison school, and entered commercial life, becoming cashier of the Northwestern insurance Company. Less than a year ago he became clerk at the Howell and was a valuable man. He was in the thirtieth year of his age. He was a member of the Orpheus Singing Society and of the Oratorio Society.

PRESBYTERY OF WHEELING

Accepts the Resignation of Rev. W. R. Thompson of the Congrega-tion of Roney's Point.

At the called meeting of the presby-tery of Wheeling, held yesterday afternoon in the First United Presbyterian church, of Wheeling, Rev. W. R. Thompson was released from the con-gregation of Roney's Point, where he has served for six years.

He has built up the congregation

from a membership of 90 to 183, and it now stands fourth in membership in the presbytery. He has served the congregations of High Ridge and Buckhannon Hill, and has been foremost in the Sabbath school and young people's work for the presbytery.

He is at present moderator of the synod of Ohio and secretary of the board of trustees of Muskingum col-

Regret is expressed on all hands over his resignation from the congregation. He has not definitely decided as to his future location. The following resolutions were unanimously adopted at the congregational meeting at Roney's Point Saturday:

Whereas, Our paster, the Rev. W. R. Thompson, has signified his intention of offering his resignation as paster of Roney Point congregation, and Whereas, He has earnestly requested

the congregation to join with him in his petition to the presbytery, therefore

Resolved, First, That it is with deep regret that we have learned of his intention to sever the relation now existing between him and this congregation. Resolved, Second, That we hereby bear testimony to his earnest effort in the prosecution of his work since he has been a pastor of this congregation.

Resolved, Third, That we acquiesce in his resignation as our pastor, and it is our earnest desire and prayer that is our earnest desire and prayer that wherever in the providence of God his lot may be cast he may, as in the past, be enabled to see the work of the Lord prosper in his hands, and that he may be enabled to go on from strength to strength unwearted until he receives that final welcome plaudit, "Well done, good and faithful servant, enter thou into the joy of thy Lord."

Going to Detroit.

A large number of Wheeling Christian Endeavorers will attend the Y. P. S. C. E. international convention, at Detroit, which will be in session July 5-10. They will leave on the afternoon of the will leave on the afternoon of the Fourth over the Wheeling & Lake Erie in a special coach, which will be decorated gally. Endeavorers from out in the state will join the party at Wheeling. A programme of unusual interest has been prepared for the convention, and Rev. C. M. Oliphant, of this city, secretary of the state association, will make an address. It isn't known definitely how many from this city will make the trip, but indications point to a large crowd.

A DANGEROUS FIRE.

The West Virginia Tobacco Company's Stable Destroyed.

Yesterday afternoon shortly after 4 o'clock, an alarm of firse was turned in at the Atlantic engine house, calling the department to the corner of Eighteenth and Eoff streets.

A spark from the cupalo of the Wheeling Mold Company had set fire to the stable of the West Virginia Tobacco Company across the alley, and in a moment the frame structure and the hay on the upper floor were a mass

The department responded promptly and put up a great fight against the flames. That the fire was confined in its original limits was due to the really excellent work of Chief Cline's men. who were ably assisted by two city of-ficials, Councilman John Beckett and

The police captured a stray horse at midnight, which awaits an owner at Ray's livery stable, North Market



No More Rheumatism.

For years my wife suffered from therma-tiem. She tried many remedies, but got his-tic benefit, and we had about given up all hope of relief when we heard of Celery King, and my wife began using it. This great medicine has, apparently, driven all the poison out of her system, and has certainly released her from a life of pain.—G. P. Cush-ing, North Ablagion, Mass. Gelery King curea Comulpation and all dis-cases of the Nerves, Stomach, Liver and Kid-neys. Sold by druggists. 25c. and 50c. 6

THE ELKS STREET FAIR

Next Week Now Attracting General Attention - Nightly Meetings of Wheeling Lodge to Arrange for the

Wheeling lodge of Elks held a well utended meeting last night, at which further arrangements for the Oriental street carnival next week were made There are a thousand and one details connected with the conduct of an enterprise of such magnitude, and it is likely that meetings will be held every night this week. There have been a great many inquiries concerning the features of the Midway exhibit, and considerable misunderstanding has arisen from the fake Midway shows in Pennsylvania and Ohio towns. The genuine Oriental exhibit was made in Findlay, Ohio, last week, and attracted immense crowds. It was a flattering

immense crowds. It was a flattering success. The entertainment consists of the following attractions:

Streets of Cafro, on which appear camels, donkeys, native performers, howling dervishes, sword fighters, gun spinners, Bashu Bazook tumblers and acrobats. Hefreshments, consisting of Turkish cofice, Turkish nargila and shabook will be served. One of the principal features of the exhibition will be a Turkish marriage ceremony and dance. Among the animals is the smallest baby camel ever exhibited in this country.

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The Oriental théatre, in which appear La Belle Rosa and her company of Oriental dancers in all the leading Oriental dancers in all the leading Oriental dancers. La Belle Rosa was crowned queen of Turkish dancers by the Sultan and Princess Eulaile, before whom she danced.

Hagenback's trained animal show, consisting of Hons, tigers, leopards, panthers, kangaroos, etc., is considered one of the best features of the Midway and the performance is thrilling in the extreme.

The Indian village represents Roddy's tribe of White Buffulo Indians, in their tepees, living exactly as they do on their native platus. The women execute the finest of bead work and the entire tribe perform the native dances in a most realistic manner.

The German village, including the Waldorf-Astoria quintette of Tyrolean singers and warblers, Prof. Knowl and Miss Mamie McNeil, the two greatest cornet soloists of the nye. This village, which is located at the northwest corner of the Midway, next to the entrance, is Elik headquarters, and the local lodge will have charge of the sale of all refreshments, lunch, etc.

The Mexican and Porto Rican theatre comes next. Here will be found Zat-Zan, the greatest artistic knife-thrower in the world, logether with his entire family, who assize in his performances. Latepha, late of Ponce, Porto Rico, will also appear at each performance in her Porto Rican dances. The music will be furnished by the celebrated Hungarian land.

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The trained dog and goat show is a good attraction. Colonel Shultz and his troop of Bismarck Danes, fourteen in number, and valued at \$125,000, form the principal attraction of this show, although Professor Gilbert and his trained mountain goats run him a close second, and Mile. Yuccu, the strong woman, comes in for a fair share of the applause. She has challenged the world for a lifting contest, and in her exhibitions she lifts twelve men at one time. She also lifts with ease an elephant, horse, or other animal which the audience selects.

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The Japanese theatre is another interesting feature of the Midway. A company of eight performers gives exhibitions of barrel-kicking, wire-walking and other equilibrist fents. They are said to be the best performers in their respective lines that ever left the Mikado's kingdom.

In the museum, Mile, Garreti and her trained cockatoos, Hermaneti Bros. the Sandows of America, Prof. and Madame Vernello, magicians and jugglers, and the mechanical withsting bird, the only one of its kind in America, furnish an entertainment that is both interesting and amusing.

In the living picture show are to be seen reproductions of the most famous French, paintings and the Temptation of St. Anthony.

The entertainments on the Midway, are all of a high order and there is not one objectionable—feature to be mentioned.

A Groundless Rumor.

A special committee of the Ohio Valley Trades Assembly last evening re-ported as groundless the rumors that ported as groundless the rumors that the Elks were concerned in forcing a settlement of the strike, unfair to the strikers. The committee was composed of Messrs. A. W. Rader, J. J. Byrne and A. L. Bauer, Mr. Rader, who is a member of the expressmen's union states that his union will supply tags to all owners of wagons for use during Elks fair week. Wagons and teams will be advertised for throughout the adjoining country, to furnish transportations. adjoining country, to furnish transpor-tation for the Elks' fair.

Gas Company Chartered.

pany, of Mannington, with a paid up capital of \$2,000, and an authorized capital of \$2,000, on Mannington, with a paid up capital of \$2,000, and an authorized capital of \$100,000. The incorporators are Charles Crotly, of Mannington, and four others.

THE RIVER.

YESTERDAY'S DEPARTURES. Parkersburg, REN HUR, II p. m. Sisterswille., RUFII, 2359 p. m. Clarington... LEROY, 3259 p. m. Slønbonville. T. M. BAYNE, 2350 p. m. Newport.... JEWEL, II a. m.

BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY. Cincinant, ... KEYSTONE STATE, S.a. m. Parkersburgh... VIEGINIA, S.a. m. Parkersburgh... VIEGINIA, S.a. m. Parkersburgh... U. BEPFORD, H.a. m. Sisterswille... RUTH, 2:20 p. m. Clarington... LEROY, 2:20 p. m. Steubenville... T. M. BAYNE, 2:20 p. m.

BOATS LEAVING TO-MORROW.
Charleston. KANAWHA 6:39 a. m.
Plusburgh. BEN HUB, 2 p. m.
Sisterswile. RUTH, 3:30 p. m.
Clarington. JERIOY, 3:39 p. m.
Steubenville. T. M. HAYNE, 2:39 p. m.
Newport... JEWF! H a. m.

Along the Landing.

The marks at 6 p. m. showed 6 feet inches and falling slowly. Weather warm and cloudy. The Keystone State is this morning's macket for Cincinnati, departing at 8

River Telegrams.

OIL CITY—River 1 foot 1 inch and falling, Clear and pleasant. WARREN—River S of a foot, Clear GREENSBORO—River 8 feet and falling. Fair and warmer

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BROWNSVILLE—River 5 feet 2 inches and stationary.

MORGANTOWN—River 7 feet 9 inches and falling. Clear and warm.

PITTSBURGH—River 4.5 feet and falling. Clear and warm.

STEUBENVILLE—River 5 feet 9 inches and falling. Clear and warm.

PARKERSBURG—River 7 feet 5 inches and falling. Cloudy; mercury at 73.

t 73.
POINT PLEASANT—River 7.4 feet and falling. Clear.
CINCINNATI—River 17.2 feet and alling. Clear.
CAIRO—River 24.8 falling. Fair and decayant.

leasant. EVANSVILLE—River 9.4 feet and EVANSVILLE—River rising: 7.5 feet failing. Clear, LOBISVILLE—River rising: 7.5 feet in canal; 5.2 feet on fails; 14.9 below locks. Clear and pleasant. MEMPHIS—River 19.5 feet, a fall of 6.3. Clear and cool.

NORMAL SCHOOLS. Regents Make Some Additions to

the Teaching Force.
Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer. MORGANTOWN, W. Va., June 19 .-At a meeting of the board of regents of the state normal schools all the ception of W. B. Cutright, principal of the West Liberty school, who resigned his position some months ago, and M. C. Lough, a teacher at Fairmont, who was granted leave of absence to attend the University, where he expects to

take a degree next year.

The vacancy at West Liberty, caused by the resignation of Principal W. B. Cutright, was filled by the election of James M. Skinner, superintendent of schools at Sistersville. The following extra teachers were employed for the coming year: Shepherdstown, L. D. Arnett, of Monongalin county, John D. Muldoon, of Ohio county, and Miss Cummings, music teacher.

Glenville, Miss Edna Lynn, of Glimer county, Will E. Morris, of Upshur county, and Miss White, music teacher.

Fairmont, F. J. Humphries, of Taylor county, W. C. Miller, Miss Fordyce, music teacher, and Miss Mushing, teacher of elocution.

West Liberty, Miss Maud Jefferson, Marshall county, and Mr. J. H. Bower, of Pendleton county. Mrs. Epstein is music teacher. take a degree next year.

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Huntington, Mrs. Haworth, music teacher and Miss Craig, teacher of election.

athens, Miss Roberts music teacher, and Miss Ayers teacher of elecution. The principals of the other three schools were authorized to appoint elecution teachers. The introduction of French and German made the appointment of additional teachers necessary.

"All Organized Labor" Week.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., June 19.-Major General Nelson A. Miles has accepted the invitation of the combined labor organizations of Western Pennsylvania to address them on Friday night of next week at the Grand Opera House here. The week is known in Pittsburgh as "All Organized Labor Week." It is a movement to create harmony and good fellowship among the different labor organizations, and it is being eninusiastically entered into by workmen to the number of 50,000, located in Western Pennsylvania. Terence V. Powderly will address the organization Wednesday night, "Golden Rule" Sam Jones, of Toledo, will be here Saturday night and other men of distinction in national affairs will come on the other nights. As planned, labor week will be a succession of extraordinary demonstrations. thusiastically entered into by workmen

Ellks' Reunion.

ST, LOUIS, Mo., June 19.-This city is taking on a purple aspect in honor of the thirty-first annual convention and reunion of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, which begins here to-morrow. All the grand lodge officers have arrived, and are making the have arrived, and are making the Southern Hotel their headquarters. It is expected that at least 6,000 Elbs will be here to-morrow. The sessions of the grand ledge winch still be held in the Olympia theatre will be secret. Grand Exalted Ruler, John Galvin, of Cincinnait, will not stand for re-election. There are two active candidates for his position, Judge R. M. Ailen, of Birmingham. Ala., and George A. Pearre, of Cumberland, Md. For the position of grand secretary the contest wil like between George A. Reynolds, of Saginaw, Mich., the present incumbent, and Bert Lyons, of St. Louis.

The Army Canteen.

WASHINGTON, June 19 .- It is improbable that the war department will accept as final the decision of the Pennsylvania state court declaring that the tion. The officers in charge of the canteen at Camp Meade appealed to the teen at Camp Meade appealed to the war department for assistance in defending the case, and the department approving of the application transmitted it to the department of justice with the request that an officer of that department be assigned for the purpose. It is believed the decision was rendered before the defense could be prepared. The principle involved is regarded as important, and it is significant that the Pennsylvania decision is directly in conflict with the formal opinion of the court of claims in the case involving the canteen. The court decided that the canteen was "one of the instrumentalities of government" and therefore exempt from taxation.

Paris in Bad Shape.

FALMOUTH, Eng., June 19.—The American liner Parls, on the rocks near the Manacles, experienced the first southeasterly gale to-day which has blown since she was wrecked. This Gas Company Chartered.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., June 19.—Al charter was issued to-day by the secrecharter was issued to-day by the secrelight between the steamer of water above the

SWEENEY-On Monday, June 19, 1889, at 3:16 a. m., HARRY C. SWEENEY, in the 30th year of his age.

Funeral from his late residence, corner of Fink and South Broadway streets, Island, on Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family invited to attend. Interment private at Greenwood cemetery.

FORD-On Sunday, June 18, 1839, at her residence, 1640 Forf street, MRS. DAISY NEWBY FORD.

NEWHY FORD.
Funeral from St. Joseph's Cathedral
Wednesday at 2 p. m.
THOMPSON—At Parls, France, on Sunday, June 4, 1893, MRS. MARY E.
THOMPSON, widow of the late Col.
W. P. Thompson.
Funeral from St. Mathew's Episcopal
church, Thursday, June 22, at 11 c'clock

church, Thursday, June 22, at 11 o'clock a. m. Friends of the family are re-spectfully invited. Interment private at Stone Church cemetery, on National

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30—Leather Music Roll.

30—Eadies' or Gents' Pocketbook.

35—Silver Spoons (full set).

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36—Ladies' Gents' Pocketbook.

36—Double Ronsting Pan.

36—Ladies Peral Handled Knife.

37—Ladies' Reautiful Belt.

38—Ladies' Full Set Combs.

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